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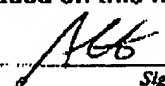
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Applicant(s): VINCENT SO						
Application No. 10/702,540	Filing Date November 7, 2003	Examiner Charles C. Agwumzie	Customer No. 07380	Group Art Unit 3621	Confirmation No. 8250	
Invention: INTERNET-BASED DATA CONTENT RENTAL SYSTEM AND METHOD						
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 16, 2006, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.